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GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA

ELECTION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 3rd May, 2010.

No.EL.114/2009/9.—In pursuance of the direction of the Election Commission of India, and with a view to observed a yearlong plan of the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the Election Commission of India, with the objective to achieve greater participation in the electoral process across the country, a committee, at the State level and in each committee in each district, is constituted, with the following members:—

State Level Committee

1. Chief Electoral Officer, Meghalaya - Chairman.
2. Director, Information and Public Relations, Meghalaya - Member.
3. Director, Youth and Sport Affairs - Member.
4. Director, Social Welfare - Member.
5. 2 (two) Prominent women NGOs - to be nominated by Director, Social Welfare.
6. 3 (three) Representatives from the Print/Electronic media to be nominated by DIPR.
7. 2 (two) Youth representative to be identified by Director, Youth and Sport Affairs.
8. Joint Chief Electoral Officer - Member Secretary.

District Level Committee

1. Deputy Commissioner/District Election Officer of the District - Chairman.
2. Sub-Divisional Officer (Election) of the District - Member.
3. District Public Relation Officer of the District - Member.
4. District Social Welfare Officer of the District - Member.
5. Block Development Officers of the District - Member.
6. Additional Deputy Commissioner/Extra Assistant Commissioner Election of the District Headquarter- Member Secretary.
7. Prominent women NGOs from the District to be nominated by District Social Welfare Officer.
8. Inspector of Schools of the District.
9. Youth representatives to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner.

The Committees will plan, and organize the programmes on the following issues -

1. Understand underlying reasons for under registration and low voter turn - out.
2. Identify the demographics of elector - segments with lower registration and lower participation during polls.
3. Logical and plausible measures to increase registration and voter turnout.
4. Cleaning of Electoral Roll 100% preparation registration of photo electoral Roll and maximization of EPIC.
5. Fight Urban Apathy.
6. Generate youth involvement.
7. Spread EVM awareness.
8. Voters' education campaign to focus on disclosure of properties and assets of the candidate affidavits of candidates on CEO's website, frequently asked question on Model Code of Conduct, dos and don'ts etc.
9. Assuring security of voting.

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